

Attachment 1:
Modification to Appendix 1: *Establishment and Operation of Phase one of the Skykomish Habitat*
Mitigation Bank
Revised Skykomish Habitat Mitigation Bank Vegetation Performance Standards
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Section 9 is modified by replacing the existing text for performance standards 4B through 4I with the following language:

4B. PFO Wetlands – At years 3, 5, and 7 forested wetlands will have a minimum density of 350 living native trees, at least one meter in height, per acre. Two native tree species shall each comprise at least 10% of the average tree density per acre.

4C. PSS Wetlands – At years 3, 5, and 7 scrub-shrub wetland areas will have a minimum density of 350 living shrubs per acre. A minimum of two native shrub species shall each comprise at least 10% of the average shrub density per acre.

4D. PEM and PAB Wetlands – At years 3, 5, and 7 emergent and aquatic bed wetland areas will have a total of at least five native facultative or wetter species. At least three native facultative or wetter species will each have a minimum of 5% areal cover in these areas combined.

4E. PEM and PAB Wetlands – At years 3, 5, and 7 emergent and aquatic bed wetland areas will exhibit at least 70% areal cover of native facultative or wetter species.

4F. Riparian Upland Forest – At years 3, 5, and 7 woody species in the Riparian Upland Forest will have a minimum density of 350 living native trees, at least one meter in height, and/or shrubs per acre. A minimum of two native tree species shall each comprise at least 10% of the average woody density per acre. A minimum of two native shrub species shall each comprise at least 10% of the average woody density per acre.

4G. Uplands - At years 3, 5, and 7 uplands will have a minimum density of 350 living native trees, at least one meter in height, per acre. A minimum of two native tree species shall each comprise at least 10% of the average tree density per acre.

4H. PFO and PSS Wetlands – At year 10 forested wetlands will exhibit an average density of at least 250 living native trees, at least two meters in height, per acre and scrub-shrub wetlands will exhibit an average density of at least 250 living native shrubs per acre.

4I. PEM and PAB Wetlands – At year 10 there will be at least three native facultative or wetter species in emergent and aquatic bed wetland areas. At least three native facultative or wetter species will each have a minimum of 5% areal cover in these areas combined.

4J. PEM and PAB Wetlands – At year 10 emergent and aquatic bed wetland areas will have at least 75% areal cover of native facultative or wetter species.